

FOREST FIRE STATISTICS

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Calendar Year 1947

This is a compilation of forest fire statistics covering the Calendar Year 1947 as reported to the United States Forest Service by its field offices, cooperating States, and the Department of the Interior, Soil Conservation Service, and Tennessee Valley Authority.

The figures are shown separately by the individual States reporting and totals are also given for certain geographical groups of States. The tabulation is prepared in the following sections:

SUMMARY OF FOREST FIRE STATISTICS FOR 1947

Giving areas needing protection; areas protected and unprotected; number of fires, area burned, and estimated damage to both protected and unprotected forest lands (Pages 1 to 4).

NUMBER OF FOREST FIRES BY CAUSE AND SIZE

For protected areas only (Pages 5 to 8).

AREAS BURNED AND ESTIMATED DAMAGE

For protected areas only (Pages 9 to 12).

The statistics shown are as complete as could be compiled from reports submitted by State and Federal protection agencies but no claim is made as to their completeness or accuracy.

Since no field organizations are established in unprotected areas to report fires, the statistics on such unprotected areas are merely the best estimates by the States. They are likewise incomplete as no estimates could be obtained for Arizona, Nebraska, North Dakota, and Wyoming.

The estimates on fire damage should be used with caution. They admittedly are low because they fail to include the full and complete tangible and direct damage to timber and improvements as well as the vast amount of intangible and indirect losses resulting from forest fires, such as those caused by decay of fire damaged timber, replacement of desirable tree species by less valuable ones, soil deterioration and erosion, uncertain streamflow, destruction of game, interruption of tourist use and travel, and the like.

SUMMARY OF FOREST FIRE STATISTICS FOR THE UNITED STATES — CALENDAR YEAR 1947

FOR PROTECTED AND UNPROTECTED AREAS, BY STATES AND GROUPS OF STATES

(Group totals are indicated following the individual States or the group)

GROUP AND STATE	PERIOD AND OWNERSHIP	NUMBER OF FIRES						AREA BURNED						DAMAGES							
		FOREST AREA			On Protected Area			On Unprotected Area			On Protected Area			On Unprotected Area			On Protected Area				
		Acres	Protected Area	Unprotected Area	Total	Acres	Protected Area	Unprotected Area	Total	Acres	Protected Area	Unprotected Area	Total	Acres	Protected Area	Unprotected Area	Total	Acres	Protected Area	Unprotected Area	
UNITED STATES (Excluding Alaska)	1947 Federal	215,363	215,363	—	8,938	8,938	100	—	320,074	320,074	100	—	15	2,972,766	2,972,766	100	—	53,254,862	53,254,862	100	
	State & Private	483,974	327,960	111,014	181,871	71,442	37,120	4,429	83	22,507,495	21,614,361	12	30,095,477	21,375,477	41	30,835,365	30,835,365	59	30,835,365	30,835,365	56
	TOTAL	698,337	543,920	111,014	260,742	40,130	370	4,429	60	53,254,862	53,254,862	100	53,254,862	53,254,862	100	53,254,862	53,254,862	100	53,254,862	53,254,862	100
ALASKA	1947 Federal	165,045	165,045	—	1,255,460	66	66	100	Data Incomplete	1,419,396	1,419,396	100	Data Incomplete	4,67	—	Data Incomplete	4,67	—	Data Incomplete	4,67	—
	Private	165,045	165,045	—	325,460	66	66	100	Data Incomplete	1,419,396	1,419,396	100	Data Incomplete	4,67	—	Data Incomplete	4,67	—	Data Incomplete	4,67	—
	TOTAL	165,045	165,045	—	325,460	66	66	100	Data Incomplete	1,419,396	1,419,396	100	Data Incomplete	4,67	—	Data Incomplete	4,67	—	Data Incomplete	4,67	—
ROCKY MOUNTAIN GROUP																					
ARIZONA	1947 Federal	19,390	19,390	—	1,354	1,354	100	—	29,961	29,961	100	—	15	—	—	—	60,898	60,898	100		
	State & Private	19,390	19,390	—	1,354	1,354	100	—	29,961	29,961	100	—	15	—	—	—	60,898	60,898	100		
	TOTAL	19,390	19,390	—	1,354	1,354	100	—	29,961	29,961	100	—	15	—	—	—	60,898	60,898	100		
COLORADO	1947 Federal	17,396	17,396	—	651	651	100	—	303	303	100	—	0	—	—	—	392	392	100		
	State & Private	7,497	6,488	1,009	365	365	98	—	476	476	100	—	0	—	—	—	1,665	1,665	100		
	TOTAL	25,071	13,976	1,009	1,009	1,009	100	—	679	679	100	—	0	—	—	—	2,047	2,047	100		
IDAHO	1947 Federal	22,016	22,016	—	668	668	100	—	33,703	33,703	100	—	11	—	—	—	122,611	122,611	100		
	State & Private	9,142	9,142	—	684	684	66	106	1,320	69,591	33	69,443	47	1,330	5,30	401,597	347,434	61	195,185	39	
	TOTAL	29,183	29,183	—	1,320	1,320	93	106	1,320	69,591	33	69,443	40	1,334	5,30	529,168	370,035	70	195,185	39	
NEVADA	1947 Federal	18,310	18,310	—	642	642	100	—	6,767	6,767	100	—	0	—	—	—	9,545	9,545	100		
	State & Private	6,142	4,430	1,712	1,082	1,082	100	—	1,800	1,800	100	—	0	—	—	—	2,028	2,028	100		
	TOTAL	25,072	25,072	—	1,082	1,082	100	—	8,567	8,567	100	—	0	—	—	—	11,567	11,567	100		
NEW MEXICO	1947 Federal	226	226	—	7	7	100	—	830	830	100	—	0	—	—	—	289	289	100		
	State & Private	226	226	—	7	7	100	—	830	830	100	—	0	—	—	—	389	389	100		
	TOTAL	226	226	—	7	7	100	—	830	830	100	—	0	—	—	—	389	389	100		
NEW YORK	1947 Federal	10,415	10,415	—	45	45	100	—	35,258	35,258	100	—	27	—	—	—	116,228	116,228	100		
	State & Private	2,691	1,321	1,321	326	69	74	26	37,407	37,407	65	15,000	35	1,665	56	54,985	40,985	75	14,000	25	
	TOTAL	15,216	11,095	1,321	326	114	83	26	65,665	52,665	80	15,000	20	44	56	171,213	137,213	92	14,000	8	
NEW MEXICO	1947 Federal	15,125	15,125	—	494	494	100	—	2,648	2,648	100	—	0	—	—	—	5,962	5,962	100		
	State & Private	5,977	1,079	4,898	186	77	91	6	1,98	1,98	100	—	0	—	—	—	1,79	1,79	99		
	TOTAL	19,110	16,212	4,898	186	97	99	6	2,846	2,846	99	—	0	—	—	—	5,741	5,741	100		
NEW YORK	1947 Federal	1,425	1,425	—	110	110	100	—	13,980	13,980	100	—	0	—	—	—	100,443	100,443	100		
	State & Private	300	59	59	99	99	100	—	9,110	9,110	100	—	0	—	—	—	15,679	15,679	100		
	TOTAL	1,725	1,425	59	99	99	100	—	23,090	23,090	100	—	0	—	—	—	114,122	114,122	100		
UTAH	1947 Federal	16,729	16,729	—	91	91	100	—	—	—	—	—	0	—	—	—	8,881	8,881	100		
	State & Private	5,966	4,371	1,595	183	166	91	17	—	17,517	17,517	94	4,550	36	129	51,191	42,901	84	8,290	16	
	TOTAL	22,695	21,210	1,595	183	274	94	17	19,060	19,060	77	4,550	33	0	0	60,078	51,788	86	8,290	14	
VERMONT	1947 Federal	11,359	11,359	—	161	161	100	—	—	—	—	—	0	—	—	—	959	959	100		
	State & Private	1,898	42	42	1,767	1,767	100	—	—	—	—	—	0	—	—	—	—	—	—		
	TOTAL	15,177	11,410	42	1,767	1,767	100	—	—	—	—	—	0	—	—	—	—	—	—		
GROUP TOTAL	1947 Federal	155,297	155,297	—	4,010	4,010	100	—	109,156	109,156	100	—	0	—	—	—	4,25,798	4,25,798	100		
	State & Private	35,611	35,611	—	1,970	1,970	100	—	160	160	94	80,017	42	47	77	538,218	348,854	66	187,434	34	
	TOTAL	169,800	169,800	—	5,980	5,980	100	—	160	160	94	80,017	42	47	77	572,762	372,662	61	187,434	34	

1/ Includes 16,380,000 acres State and privately owned non-timbered watershed.

PACIFIC GROUP		CALIFORNIA		HAWAII		OREGON		WASHINGTON		GROUP TOTAL		EASTERN GROUP		
1947 Federal	22,668	22,668	—	662	662	100	—	92,996	92,996	100	—	—	—	
State & Private	19,698	19,698	—	2,730	2,730	100	—	202,327	202,327	100	—	1,637,835	1,637,835	
TOTAL	42,366	42,366	—	5,392	5,392	100	—	295,323	295,323	100	—	2,070,837	2,070,837	
1947 Federal	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	
State & Private	2,504	2,504	—	3	3	100	—	361	361	100	—	361	361	
TOTAL	2,504	2,504	—	3	3	100	—	361	361	100	—	361	361	
1947 Federal	30,159	30,159	20,999	548	548	100	—	3,985	3,985	100	—	16,505	16,505	
State & Private	12,446	12,446	12,446	766	766	100	—	6,118	6,118	100	—	74,074	74,074	
TOTAL	33,005	33,005	33,005	1,314	1,314	100	—	12,101	12,101	100	—	90,579	90,579	
1947 Federal	12,780	12,780	—	477	477	100	—	4,097	4,097	100	—	14,969	14,969	
State & Private	12,874	12,874	—	1,380	1,380	100	—	6,325	6,325	100	—	64,514	64,514	
TOTAL	25,654	25,654	—	1,857	1,857	100	—	12,422	12,422	100	—	69,483	69,483	
1947 Federal	56,047	56,047	36,047	1,687	1,687	100	—	101,076	101,076	100	—	1,669,309	1,669,309	
State & Private	47,522	47,522	47,522	4,879	4,879	100	—	219,131	219,131	100	—	2,199,786	2,199,786	
TOTAL	103,569	103,569	103,569	6,566	6,566	100	—	330,207	330,207	100	—	3,869,095	3,869,095	
CONNECTICUT	1947 Federal	—	1,907	1,907	1,907	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	
State & Private	—	1,907	1,907	—	931	931	100	—	4,422	4,422	100	—	—	
TOTAL	—	—	1,907	931	931	100	—	4,422	4,422	100	—	31,295	31,295	
DELAWARE	1947 Federal	—	—	440	440	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	
State & Private	—	—	440	440	440	—	98	98	100	—	727	727	100	
TOTAL	—	—	—	—	98	98	100	—	727	727	100	—	7,596	7,596
DISTRICT	1947 Federal	549	549	—	65	65	100	—	1,941	1,941	100	—	2,065	2,065
State & Private	11,248	11,248	3,323	813	813	19	5,571	61	314,527	314,527	9	—	531,745	531,745
TOTAL	11,807	11,807	7,595	896	896	20	5,571	80	316,268	316,268	90	—	46,021	46,021
MAINE	1947 Federal	50	50	—	8	8	100	—	12,002	12,002	100	—	743,075	743,075
State & Private	16,685	16,685	16,685	694	694	100	—	308,082	308,082	100	—	11,815,000	11,815,000	
TOTAL	16,775	16,775	16,775	702	702	100	—	230,084	230,084	100	—	12,586,075	12,586,075	
MARYLAND	1947 Federal	1	1	—	466	466	100	—	3,677	3,677	100	—	35,772	35,772
State & Private	2,685	2,685	2,685	466	466	100	—	3,677	3,677	100	—	36,477	36,477	
TOTAL	2,686	2,686	2,686	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	
MASSACHUSETTS	1947 Federal	3	3	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	
State & Private	3,286	3,286	3,286	2,087	2,087	100	—	24,303	24,303	100	—	420,437	420,437	
TOTAL	3,289	3,289	3,289	2,087	2,087	100	—	24,303	24,303	100	—	420,437	420,437	
NEW HAMPSHIRE	1947 Federal	669	669	—	4	4	100	—	—	—	—	—	—	
State & Private	4,145	4,145	4,145	656	656	100	—	18,062	18,062	100	—	66	66	
TOTAL	4,814	4,814	4,814	660	660	100	—	18,073	18,073	100	—	49,877	49,877	
NEW JERSEY	1947 Federal	1	1	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	
State & Private	2,894	2,894	2,894	1,148	1,148	100	—	14,002	14,002	100	—	305,880	305,880	
TOTAL	2,895	2,895	2,895	1,149	1,149	100	—	14,002	14,002	100	—	306,880	306,880	
NEW YORK	1947 Federal	7	7	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	
State & Private	13,423	13,423	13,423	1,701	1,701	100	—	31,685	31,685	100	—	151,700	151,700	
TOTAL	13,430	13,430	13,430	1,701	1,701	100	—	31,685	31,685	100	—	151,700	151,700	
PENNSYLVANIA	1947 Federal	492	492	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	
State & Private	14,644	14,644	14,644	1,699	1,699	100	—	46,115	46,115	100	—	441	441	
TOTAL	15,135	15,135	15,135	1,697	1,697	100	—	46,115	46,115	100	—	170,686	170,686	
RHODE ISLAND	1947 Federal	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	
State & Private	482	482	482	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	
TOTAL	482	482	482	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	
VERMONT	1947 Federal	208	208	208	1	1	100	—	—	—	—	—	—	
State & Private	5,659	5,659	5,659	225	225	100	—	1,934	1,934	100	—	12,921	12,921	
TOTAL	5,666	5,666	5,666	226	226	100	—	1,934	1,934	100	—	12,921	12,921	

GROUP AND STATE	PHYSICAL OWNER SHIP	NUMBER OF FIRES						AREA BURNED						DAMAGES							
		FOREST AREA		On Protected Area		On Unprotected Area		TOTAL		On Protected Area		On Unprotected Area		TOTAL		On Protected Area		On Unprotected Area			
		M Acres	M Acres	M Acres	M Acres	M Acres	M Acres	Number	Number	%	Acres	%	Acres	%	Acres	%	Dollars	%	Dollars	%	
EASTERN GROUP (continued)																					
VIRGINIA	1947 Federal State & Private TOTAL	1,687 13,036 14,683	1,687 1,701 1,700	1,669 1,701 1,700	100 100 100	— — —	52 11 11	38 11 11	100 100 100	— — —	937 909 62,084	937 909 62,084	100 100 100	— — —	— — —	— — —	4,056 139,455 145,511	100 100 100	4,056 139,455 145,511	100 100 100	
WEST VIRGINIA	1947 Federal State & Private TOTAL	911 9,050 9,981	911 9,050 9,981	8,859 8,859 1,450	100 100 100	— — —	11 1,450 1,450	11 1,450 1,450	100 100 100	— — —	61,135 61,135 62,044	61,135 61,135 62,044	100 100 100	— — —	— — —	— — —	2,984 500,431 303,415	100 100 100	2,984 500,431 303,415	100 100 100	
GROUPTOTAL	1947 Federal State & Private TOTAL	96,959 101,581	96,959 101,581	97,935 97,935	17,352 17,352	4,592 4,592	147 147	100 100	— —	15,897 5,571 5,571	15,897 487,454 487,454	100 62 62	285,680 285,680 285,680	38 38 37	— — —	14,533 5,60 5,60	100 50.5 50.5	752,707 15,825,481 15,825,481	100 97 97	752,707 15,825,481 15,825,481	100 97 97
SOUTHERN GROUP																					
ALABAMA	1947 Federal State & Private TOTAL	794 18,045 18,819	794 18,045 18,819	11,735 12,510 12,510	6,310 7,435 7,435	15,685 7,278 47	309 284 284	100 100 100	— — —	4,592 384,184 382,916	4,592 384,184 382,916	100 100 100	— — —	— — —	— — —	5,352 1,205,456 1,205,456	100 10.94 10.94	5,352 1,205,456 1,205,456	100 10.94 10.94		
ARKANSAS	1947 Federal State & Private TOTAL	2,493 18,348 20,946	2,493 18,348 20,946	2,496 13,339 13,627	— 7,019 5,612	245 32,217 32,462	345 3,373 5,612	100 17 17	— 26,384 26,384 26,384	6,702 131,074 131,074	6,702 131,074 131,074	100 100 100	— — —	— — —	— — —	6,691 880,268 886,905	100 10.06 10.06	6,691 880,268 886,905	100 10.06 10.06		
FLORIDA	1947 Federal State & Private TOTAL	1,317 21,553 22,180	1,317 21,553 22,180	14,680 14,680 14,680	122 1,975 1,975	122 1,975 1,975	122 1,975 1,975	100 17 17	15,000 2,976 3,098	5,395 4,941,938 4,941,938	5,395 4,941,938 4,941,938	100 100 100	— — —	— — —	— — —	1,357 4,725,890 4,725,890	100 3.97 3.97	1,357 4,725,890 4,725,890	100 3.97 3.97		
GEORGIA	1947 Federal State & Private TOTAL	1,036 81,703 81,703	1,036 81,703 81,703	14,353 9,335 9,335	— 9,335 9,335	75 2,485 2,485	75 2,485 2,485	100 17 17	6,850 6,850 6,850	8,071 2,254,956 2,254,956	8,071 2,254,956 2,254,956	100 100 100	— — —	— — —	— — —	50,377 8,635 8,635	100 15.15 15.15	50,377 8,635 8,635	100 15.15 15.15		
LOUISIANA	1947 Federal State & Private TOTAL	571 7,148 7,148	571 7,148 7,148	6,907 6,907 6,907	— 7,110 7,110	225 5,110 5,110	225 5,110 5,110	100 72 72	2,000 2,000 2,000	6,999 1,189,984 1,189,984	6,999 1,189,984 1,189,984	100 100 100	— — —	— — —	— — —	4,479 325,949 325,949	100 14.48 14.48	4,479 325,949 325,949	100 14.48 14.48		
MISSISSIPPI	1947 Federal State & Private TOTAL	1,167 16,449 17,616	1,167 16,449 17,616	9,027 9,027 9,027	— 9,027 9,027	59 59,684 59,684	59 59,684 59,684	100 14 14	83,391 83,391 83,391	53,054 4,213,090 4,213,090	53,054 4,213,090 4,213,090	100 100 100	— — —	— — —	— — —	20,333 9,646,928 9,646,928	100 15.15 15.15	20,333 9,646,928 9,646,928	100 15.15 15.15		
NORTH CAROLINA	1947 Federal State & Private TOTAL	1,454 16,978 18,432	1,454 16,978 18,432	8,956 8,956 8,956	— 10,447 10,447	67 5,725 5,725	67 5,725 5,725	100 72 72	— — —	6,999 1,189,984 1,189,984	6,999 1,189,984 1,189,984	100 100 100	— — —	— — —	— — —	5,705 303,061 303,061	100 1.16 1.16	5,705 303,061 303,061	100 1.16 1.16		
OKLAHOMA	1947 Federal State & Private TOTAL	998 9,793 10,197	998 9,793 10,197	9,157 9,157 9,157	— 8,272 8,272	131 7,651 7,651	131 7,651 7,651	100 9 9	7,000 7,000 7,000	2,517 7,357,441 7,357,441	2,517 7,357,441 7,357,441	100 100 100	— — —	— — —	— — —	4,609 3,665,016 3,665,016	100 15.46 15.46	4,609 3,665,016 3,665,016	100 15.46 15.46		
TEXAS	1947 Federal State & Private TOTAL	817 14,051 14,869	817 14,051 14,869	8,199 9,659	— 14,013	135 5,589 5,589	135 5,589 5,589	100 100 100	— — —	8,016 205,866 205,866	8,016 205,866 205,866	100 100 100	— — —	— — —	— — —	10,125 613,596 613,596	100 1.93 1.93	10,125 613,596 613,596	100 1.93 1.93		
OKLAHOMA	1947 Federal State & Private TOTAL	1,015 11,954 13,097	1,015 11,954 13,097	1,015 6,854 6,854	— 5,140 6,155	209 4,547 4,706	209 4,547 4,706	100 47 50	2,400 2,400 2,400	2,517 80,368 80,368	2,517 80,368 80,368	100 100 100	— — —	— — —	— — —	6,849 1,007,114 1,013,983	100 1.38 1.38	6,849 1,007,114 1,013,983	100 1.38 1.38		
TEXAS	1947 Federal State & Private TOTAL	1,017 11,663 12,393	1,017 11,663 12,393	1,017 9,186 9,186	— 4,015 4,015	292 4,015	292 4,015	100 29 29	— — —	5,019 251,651 251,651	5,019 251,651 251,651	100 100 100	— — —	— — —	— — —	1,655 7,407,185 7,407,185	100 2.64 2.64	1,655 7,407,185 7,407,185	100 2.64 2.64		
OKLAHOMA	1947 Federal State & Private TOTAL	11,663 12,393 12,393	11,663 12,393 12,393	11,663 9,186 9,186	— 4,015 4,015	29 4,015	29 4,015	100 29 29	— — —	61,506 1,800,075 1,800,075	61,506 1,800,075 1,800,075	100 100 100	— — —	— — —	— — —	94,762 4,326,461 4,326,461	100 25,513,107 25,513,107	94,762 4,326,461 4,326,461	100 25,513,107 25,513,107		

NORTH CENTRAL GROUP		1947												1948													
		Federal			State & Private			Federal			State & Private			Federal			State & Private			Federal			State & Private				
ILLINOIS	1947	296	—	288	100	—	—	987	100	—	—	—	—	441	—	—	2,077	100	—	—	—	—	—	—	—		
	Federal	4,036	3,839	246	285	185	65	100	35	6,459	35	3,429	55	5,000	47	47	1,122	100	—	10,200	50	—	—	—	—		
	State & Private	4,323	4,077	346	313	213	68	100	32	7,416	60	4,416	60	5,000	40	40	1,122	224,128	55	10,200	45	—	—	—	—		
	TOTAL																										
INDIANA	1947	Federal	95	95	4	4	100	—	—	30	—	15,311	100	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	
	State & Private	3,862	3,862	4	4	421	100	—	—	—	—	15,311	100	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	
	TOTAL	3,957	3,957	425	425	425	100	—	—	15,341	100	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	
IOWA	1947	Federal	5	5	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
	State & Private	2,256	2,256	40	40	100	—	—	—	574	—	574	100	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	
	TOTAL	2,251	2,251	40	40	100	—	—	—	574	—	574	100	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	
KANSAS	1947	Federal	2,544	2,544	61	61	100	—	—	748	—	748	100	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
	State & Private	17,808	17,808	1,745	1,745	1,804	1,804	100	—	—	26,152	100	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
	TOTAL	20,352	20,352	1,804	1,804	1,804	100	—	—	26,900	100	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	
MINNESOTA	1947	Federal	3,431	3,431	64	64	100	—	—	2,032	—	2,032	100	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
	State & Private	19,665	19,665	974	974	1,038	1,038	100	—	—	60,634	100	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	
	TOTAL	23,096	23,096	974	974	1,038	1,038	100	—	—	62,646	100	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	
MISSOURI	1947	Federal	1,335	1,335	276	276	100	—	—	4,598	100	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	
	State & Private	15,654	10,575	6,348	2,148	54	4,200	66	66	668,577	7	48,577	7	620,000	93	95	5,86	1,060,000	98	1,050,000	98	—	—	—	—	—	—
	TOTAL	16,999	10,575	6,424	2,426	37	4,200	65	65	673,175	8	53,175	8	620,000	92	95	5,86	1,050,000	91	1,050,000	91	—	—	—	—	—	—
NEBRASKA	1947	Federal	44	44	6	6	100	—	—	700	—	700	100	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
	State & Private	16,115	16,115	1,457	1,457	100	—	—	—	16,381	100	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	
	TOTAL	17,999	17,999	1,519	1,519	100	—	—	—	17,472	100	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	
OHIO	1947	Federal	87	87	14	14	100	—	—	185	—	153	100	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
	State & Private	5,494	5,494	746	746	100	—	—	—	15,886	100	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	
	TOTAL	5,581	5,581	760	760	100	—	—	—	16,011	100	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	
WISCONSIN	1947	Federal	1,882	1,686	62	62	100	—	—	1,191	100	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
	State & Private	16,115	16,115	1,457	1,457	100	—	—	—	16,281	100	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	
	TOTAL	17,999	17,999	1,519	1,519	100	—	—	—	17,472	100	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	
GROUP TOTAL	1947	Federal	9,662	9,662	517	517	100	—	—	10,439	100	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	
	State & Private	84,945	74,195	12,014	7,714	64	4,200	36	36	807,795	100	184,795	23	623,000	77	77	5,76	2,252,075	50	1,060,200	69	—	—	—	—	—	
	TOTAL	94,531	85,950	10,821	8,821	6,821	4,500	34	34	818,125	100	195,225	94	623,000	76	76	5,76	2,252,075	51	1,060,200	69	—	—	—	—	—	

NUMBER OF FOREST FIRES IN THE UNITED STATES BY CAUSE AND SIZE -- CALENDAR YEAR 1947

PROTECTED AREAS ONLY - BY STATES AND GROUPS OF STATES

GROUP AND STATE	PERIOD and OWNERSHIP	NUMBER OF FIRES - BY CAUSE							NUMBER OF FIRES - BY SIZE					
		Lightning	Railroads	Campers	Smokers	Debris Burning	Inven- tory	Logging	Miscel- laneous	TOTAL	Under 1/4 Acres	1/4 - 10 Acres	Over 10 Acres	TOTAL
UNITED STATES (Exclusive of Alaska)	1947 Federal State & Private TOTAL	4,502 1,919 6,421	4,701 2,860 4,018	4,045 5,341 5,341	16,430 17,607	12,045 12,299	256 22,172 25,693	1,521 1,476 1,662	86 9,841 10,429	656 71,442 80,370	4,575 35,966 35,422	3,088 29,124 37,007	1,467 29,891 60,370	8,988 71,442 60,370
ALASKA	1947 Federal Private TOTAL	18 Data Incomplete 18	28 Data Incomplete 28	11 Data Incomplete 11	14 Data Incomplete 14	8 Data Incomplete 8	-- --	-- 1	12 44 46	86 96 96	36 11 10	13 11 10	37 37 37	86 86 86
ROCKY MOUNTAIN GROUP														
ARIZONA	1947 Federal State & Private TOTAL	1,521 Data Incomplete 1,521	5 96	90	15	--	--	--	11 20	1,554 987	433 433	114 114	1,554 1,554	
COLORADO	1947 Federal State & Private TOTAL	71 27 98	5 6 17	6 21	11 26	5 1	-- 1	1 1	21 44 46	1,554 111 129	433 111 129	114 114 114	1,554 1,554 1,554	
IDAHO	1947 Federal State & Private TOTAL	772 316 1,087	-- 53 95	25 12	54 82	4 53	-- 19	5 9	10 91	667 634	144 368	55 135	666 634	
Montana	1947 Federal State & Private TOTAL	566 290 866	2 32 34	17 24	31 44	7 18	2 5	4 5	15 21	642 492	482 545	34 66	642 642	
NEBRASKA	1947 Federal State & Private TOTAL	6 Data Incomplete 6	-- --	1 1	-- --	-- --	-- --	-- --	1 11 11	1,062 827	827 192	45 45	1,062 1,062	
NEVADA	1947 Federal State & Private TOTAL	20 17	2 7	11 13	20 29	1 12	2 5	2 5	6 5 5	45 521 577	12 46 366	6 6 7	45 45 45	
NEW MEXICO	1947 Federal State & Private TOTAL	392 445 4,125	1 4 1	52 41 62	41 21 5	4 1 1	1 6 1	8 2 14	11 11 7	494 521 577	152 46 366	7 7 7	494 521 577	
SOUTH DAKOTA	1947 Federal State & Private TOTAL	77 41 119	1 1 28	6 11 26	15 11 26	10 6 16	-- 1 1	5 13 16	110 99 209	46 33 79	26 40 66	6 6 64	45 45 309	
UTAH	1947 Federal State & Private TOTAL	68 28 96	— 5 14	12 21 35	— 35 35	2 1 1	— 1 1	4 52 56	91 166 257	61 23 88	23 60 102	7 7 67	91 166 237	
WYOMING	1947 Federal State & Private TOTAL	67 Data Incomplete 67	— —	15 15	14 24	3 5	-- --	2 2	101 81	12 12	8 8	101 101	101 101	
GROUP TOTAL	1947 Federal State & Private TOTAL	5,350 761 4,111	14 100 164	2,854 78 302	2,860 78 496	2,276 147 195	46 32 29	7 19 45	67 815 880	4,010 1,610 5,701	2,783 960 5,701	312 374 586	4,010 1,610 5,650	

GROUP AND STATE	PERIOD AND OWNERSHIP	NUMBER OF FIRES - BY CAUSE						NUMBER OF FIRES - BY SIZE						
		Lightning	Railroads	Campers	Smokers	Debris Burning	Incen- diary	Lumbering	Miscel- laneous	TOTAL	Under 1/4 Acre	1/4 - 10 Acres	Over 10 Acres	
<u>EASTERN GROUP (continued)</u>														
VERMONT	1947 Federal State & Private TOTAL	1	5	—	12	8	8	—	6	32	9	15	8	52
WEST VIRGINIA	1947 Federal State & Private TOTAL	15	208	50	525	410	151	28	308	1,669	204	1,085	412	1,669
GROUP TOTAL	1947 Federal State & Private TOTAL	14	21	50	525	410	151	28	314	1,701	213	1,088	420	1,701
<u>SOUTHERN GROUP</u>														
ALABAMA	1947 Federal State & Private TOTAL	31	405	215	1,669	1,239	2,600	178	749	7,274	161	3,179	3,934	7,274
ARKANSAS	1947 Federal State & Private TOTAL	41	408	225	1,981	1,253	2,635	180	780	7,483	185	3,299	4,001	7,483
FLORIDA	1947 Federal State & Private TOTAL	40	94	8	47	9	57	2,877	195	345	118	80	2,001	345
GEORGIA	1947 Federal State & Private TOTAL	70	84	90	1,374	379	388	2,934	197	384	5,575	2,687	2,001	5,575
LOUISIANA	1947 Federal State & Private TOTAL	102	98	39	200	212	2,169	41	225	2,976	32	1,892	1,682	2,976
MISSISSIPPI	1947 Federal State & Private TOTAL	2	5	10	34	5	10	2	17	76	10	35	30	76
NORTH CAROLINA	1947 Federal State & Private TOTAL	7	180	32	303	421	536	82	954	2,885	40	1,117	1,388	2,885
OKLAHOMA	1947 Federal State & Private TOTAL	9	385	32	327	426	546	64	951	2,160	50	1,152	1,358	2,160
TEXAS	1947 Federal State & Private TOTAL	11	78	93	384	880	2,879	118	1,469	6,372	103	2,893	3,376	6,372
<u>GROUP TOTAL</u>														
SOUTH CAROLINA	1947 Federal State & Private TOTAL	6	5	4	25	5	16	1	30	225	5,110	142	2,468	5,110
TERRELL	1947 Federal State & Private TOTAL	18	126	160	915	725	510	38	177	2,699	101	1,134	1,464	2,699
TEXAS	1947 Federal State & Private TOTAL	24	131	164	940	760	526	39	182	2,766	114	1,167	1,485	2,766
GROUP TOTAL	1947 Federal State & Private TOTAL	114	566	566	4,510	1,199	1,197	1,599	1,661	6,353	533	3,032	3,544	6,353
<u>GROUP TOTAL</u>														
VERMONT	1947 Federal State & Private TOTAL	1	—	5	14	3	12	—	15	51	16	15	21	51
WEST VIRGINIA	1947 Federal State & Private TOTAL	5	—	6	68	6	561	2	7	651	22	310	319	651
WISCONSIN	1947 Federal State & Private TOTAL	36	361	192	1,493	1,197	62	2	22	702	37	325	340	702
WYOMING	1947 Federal State & Private TOTAL	29	566	194	1,510	1,199	1,661	90	631	5,869	288	3,002	2,299	5,869
<u>GROUP TOTAL</u>														
VERMONT	1947 Federal State & Private TOTAL	184	43	110	528	121	1,259	22	303	8,567	294	1,891	882	8,567
WEST VIRGINIA	1947 Federal State & Private TOTAL	219	1,559	1,282	8,479	6,423	19,226	1,085	5,135	4,458	1,764	19,785	21,909	43,458
WISCONSIN	1947 Federal State & Private TOTAL	373	1,602	1,392	9,006	6,614	20,525	1,077	5,438	4,025	2,056	21,176	22,791	46,025

WORKERS		GENERAL GROUP		1947		1947		1947		1947		1947		1947		
STATE	GENERAL	FEDERAL	STATE & PRIVATE	FEDERAL	STATE	FEDERAL										
ILLINOIS	—	—	6	1	14	2	9	—	28	2	17	2	28	9	28	9
			6	1	17	50	94	—	165	2	111	4	111	98	185	213
			52	5	52	52	4	215	4	215	4	215	4	215	4	215
INDIANA	—	—	1	1	1	5	—	—	—	4	—	1	2	1	4	4
			27	111	111	146	23	3	57	421	58	160	183	421	185	213
			58	114	114	146	23	3	57	425	59	182	186	425	186	213
IOWA	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
			—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
MICHIGAN	—	—	7	3	14	7	—	—	—	9	40	—	26	14	40	40
			7	3	14	7	—	—	9	40	—	26	14	40	40	40
			10	4	29	2	2	—	2	61	21	27	13	61	27	61
			67	504	71	641	171	41	221	1,743	530	1,197	226	1,743	226	1,743
			514	75	670	175	45	27	223	1,804	541	1,294	239	1,804	239	1,804
MINNESOTA	—	—	—	7	25	19	4	—	—	64	38	27	9	64	27	64
			21	254	31	285	248	19	14	184	89	401	524	974	524	974
			254	31	285	306	266	23	16	127	1,098	277	428	533	428	533
			38	58	58	306	306	23	16	127	1,098	277	428	533	428	533
MISSOURI	—	—	1	5	60	5	3	285	2	50	278	59	179	40	278	40
			4	1	30	69	247	580	1,157	16	68	2,148	103	1,477	618	2,148
			5	51	74	527	583	1,270	18	118	2,426	242	1,386	686	2,426	686
MISSOURI	1947	Federal	2	—	—	2	—	—	—	6	—	2	4	6	4	6
		State & Private	2	—	—	2	—	—	—	6	—	2	4	6	4	6
		STATE	2	—	—	2	—	—	—	6	—	2	4	6	4	6
OHIO	—	—	102	1	125	5	1	—	—	7	14	3	11	14	3	14
			102	14	125	208	71	—	3	281	746	66	389	746	66	746
			102	15	130	209	71	5	288	750	69	400	791	69	790	69
WISCONSIN	—	—	15	4	23	4	3	—	1	8	62	26	26	10	26	10
			45	55	55	381	186	167	11	162	1,457	683	683	91	683	91
			676	59	404	190	170	12	170	1,519	709	709	101	1,519	101	1,519
WISCONSIN	1947	Federal	26	23	177	32	151	5	72	517	140	391	86	517	86	517
		State & Private	1,400	270	1,619	1,596	1,474	78	984	7,714	1,081	4,117	2,036	7,714	2,036	7,714
		STATE	1,426	250	1,996	1,688	1,625	83	1,026	6,231	1,701	4,408	2,122	6,231	4,408	6,231
GROUP TOTAL	1947	Federal	31	23	177	32	151	5	72	517	140	391	86	517	86	517
		State & Private	1,425	270	1,619	1,596	1,474	78	984	7,714	1,081	4,117	2,036	7,714	2,036	7,714
		STATE	1,424	250	1,996	1,688	1,625	83	1,026	6,231	1,701	4,408	2,122	6,231	4,408	6,231

AREAS BURNED AND DAMAGES BY FOREST FIRES IN THE UNITED STATES, BY TYPE CLASSES - CALENDAR YEAR 1947

PROTECTED AREAS ONLY - BY STATES AND GROUPS OF STATES

GROUP AND STATE	PERIOD and OWNERSHIP	PROTECTED AREA BURNED						DAMAGE ON PROTECTED AREA					
		TOTAL FOREST AREA UNDER PROTECTION			FOREST AREA PROTECTED			Average Area per Fire			Timber Resources		
		Acres	Acres	Percent	Acres	Acres	Acres	Acres	Acres	Acres	Dollars	Dollars	Dollars
UNITED STATES (Exclusive of Alaska)	1947 Federal State & Private TOTAL	21,360,701 327,985,917 542,329,026	21,360,701 327,985,917 542,329,026	100.0 74.7 85.0	196,511 439,516 512,455	121,165 2,375,085 2,371,976	518,074 2,814,381 560,879	35.6 39.4 59.0	1,555,718 15,866,549 15,422,267	1,417,068 7,511,928 8,988,956	2,972,786 21,378,477 24,351,255	9.35 7.60 7.77	
ALASKA	1947 Federal Private TOTAL	165,882,147 165,882,147	30,346,147 30,346,147	18.3	683,966 683,966	735,618 735,618	1,419,886 1,419,886	16,506.8	Data Incomplete				
ROCKY MOUNTAIN GROUP													
ARIZONA	1947 Federal State & Private TOTAL	19,379,370 19,379,370	19,379,370 19,379,370	100.0 100.0	17,951 17,951	11,939 29,881	29,881 29,881	19.2	35,386 35,386	25,502 25,502	60,888 60,888	2.04 2.04	
COLORADO	1947 Federal State & Private TOTAL	17,596,355 7,475,346 26,071,701	17,596,355 6,625,708 26,071,701	100.0 88.6 96.6	103 269 422	50 206 226	303 475 678	2.1 3.5 2.8	301 865 1,166	81 800 1,047	382 1,665 2,047	1.98 5.51 3.02	
IDAHO	1947 Federal State & Private TOTAL	22,015,591 1,122,000 28,187,981	22,015,591 5,170,461 27,187,981	100.0 72.6 99.3	15,401 6,439 19,840	10,302 63,452 73,754	25,705 69,891 50,894	27.5 110.2 62.3	67,656 14,527 68,185	54,955 232,897 287,452	122,611 247,438 370,035	5.17 5.54 5.95	
MONTANA	1947 Federal State & Private TOTAL	18,910,176 6,162,000 25,072,176	18,910,176 6,162,000 25,072,176	100.0 100.0 100.0	5,764 221 5,986	5,003 1,579 4,582	6,767 1,800 6,587	10.5 4.3 8.1	5,311 756 6,065	4,1234 1,286 5,002	9,545 2,028 11,567	1.41 1.12 1.35	
NEBRASKA	1947 Federal State & Private TOTAL	295,529 226,529	295,529 226,529	100.0 100.0	3 3	847 850	847 850	12.4 12.4	5	284	289	-3.4	
NEVADA	1947 Federal State & Private TOTAL	10,414,317 2,801,131 15,215,648	10,414,317 1,480,425 11,894,942	100.0 52.9 90.0	21,226 24,370 45,596	7,032 57 7,069	26,235 24,407 52,665	553.7 7,002 462.0	72,820 35,985 79,252	45,978 40,985 77,961	116,238 33,985 157,215	4.11 1.68 2.99	
NEW MEXICO	1947 Federal State & Private TOTAL	15,153,433 5,977,000 19,110,383	15,153,433 1,076,475 16,211,913	100.0 27.1 98.8	2,442 1,74 2,616	206 1 207	2,648 1 2,623	5.4 2.3 4.9	3,357 1,125 3,462	226 276 3,462	5,562 1,276 5,776	1.35 1.02 1.32	
SOUTH DAKOTA	1947 Federal State & Private TOTAL	1,442,784 500,000 1,922,784	1,442,784 500,000 1,922,784	100.0 100.0 100.0	2,355 1,238 3,611	11,627 7,052 19,479	15,980 9,110 28,090	127.1 92.0 110.5	34,684 6,488 41,172	65,759 7,191 72,950	100,443 15,679 114,122	7.18 1.36 4.94	
UTAH	1947 Federal State & Private TOTAL	16,728,728 5,986,119 22,634,647	16,728,728 4,371,000 21,099,023	100.0 92.0 94.0	2,455 1,238 14,848	68 574 442	2,525 12,767 15,290	27.7 76.9 59.5	5,309 15,025 20,364	3,572 42,901 50,848	5,352 1,281 4,940		
WYOMING	1947 Federal State & Private TOTAL	11,359,353 1,808,000 13,177,353	11,359,353 1,808,000 11,410,353	100.0 2.5 86.6	331 41,000 331	12 545 12	545 545 545	3.4 3.4 3.4	576 576 576	559 559 959	959 2,800 2,800		
GROUP TOTAL	1947 Federal State & Private TOTAL	135,397,029 35,811,698 169,208,627	135,397,029 45,124,695 136,838,068	100.0 71.0 90.9	64,079 43,124 109,203	45,077 75,301 118,578	109,156 75,301 118,578	27.2 70.7 40.5	294,815 50,848 287,701	188,975 51,762 302,441	423,786 5,354 772,642	5.88 5.39 5.39	

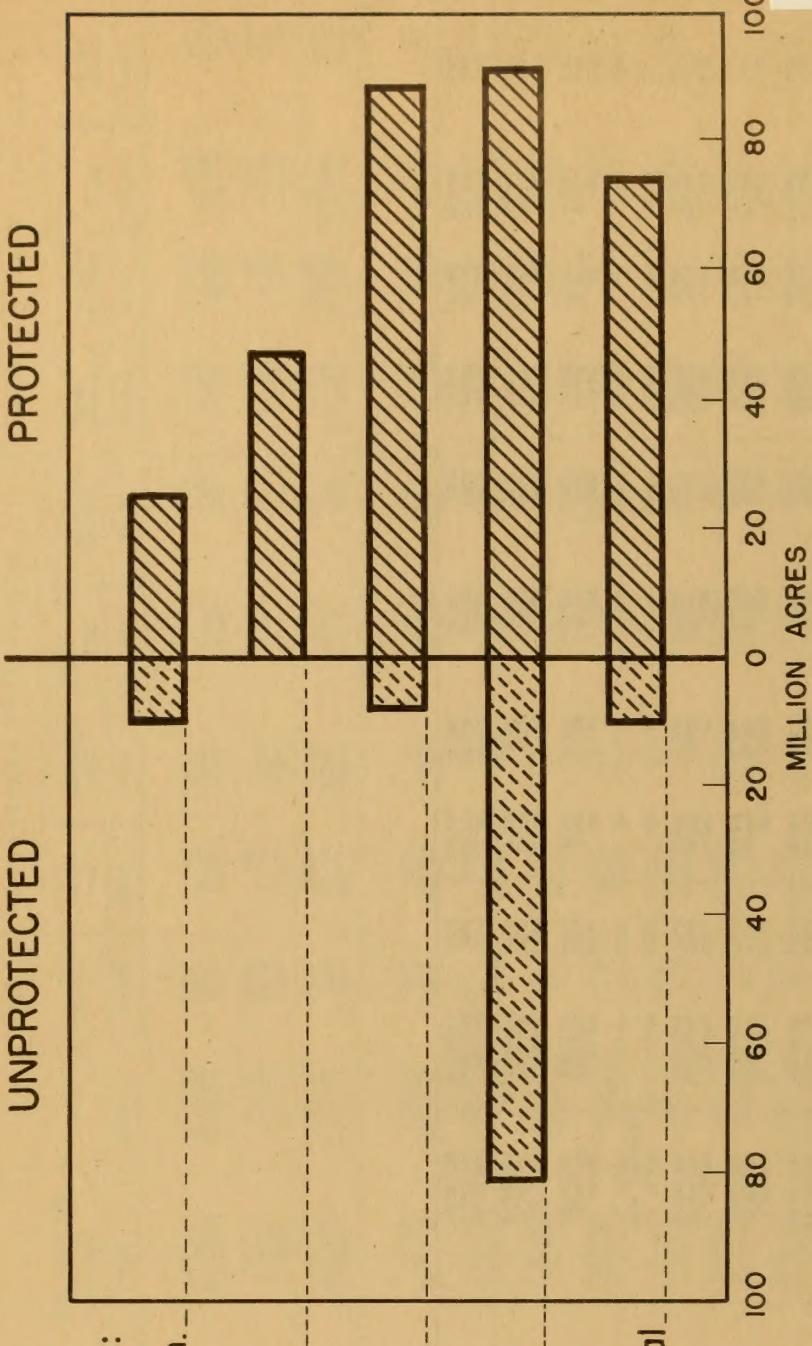
PACIFIC GROUP													
CALIFORNIA	1947	Federal	22,667,750	100.0	34,056	58,742	92,996	140,5	778,035	859,802	1,657,835	17,61	
		State & Private	19,698,995	100.0	26,013	170,814	302,327	74,1	425,843	1,644,934	2,070,607	10,24	
		TOTAL	42,366,145	100.0	60,767	239,506	595,325	87,1	1,203,876	2,504,796	3,708,672	12,56	
HAWAII	1947	Federal	2,503,957	2,503,957	100.0	60	301	561	120,5	—	—	—	—
		State & Private	2,503,957	2,503,957	100.0	60	301	561	120,5	—	—	—	—
		TOTAL	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
OREGON	1947	Federal	20,598,439	100.0	3,361	682	5,985	7,5	11,472	5,053	16,105	4,34	
		State & Private	12,446,056	100.0	4,976	5,142	8,118	10,6	38,600	35,474	74,074	9,12	
		TOTAL	33,044,495	100.0	8,337	5,764	12,101	9,2	50,092	40,507	90,579	7,49	
WASHINGTON	1947	Federal	12,780,137	100.0	2,054	2,045	4,097	8,6	4,595	10,576	14,969	3,65	
		State & Private	12,873,551	100.0	4,526	3,799	8,325	6,0	42,135	16,912	64,534	6,95	
		TOTAL	25,653,688	100.0	6,950	5,842	12,422	6,7	—	27,383	69,465	6,99	
GROSS TOTAL	1947	Federal	56,047,926	100.0	39,669	61,407	101,076	59,9	794,098	875,211	1,689,309	16,52	
		State & Private	47,521,569	100.0	36,076	165,086	219,123	44,6	702,045	1,697,741	2,199,766	10,14	
		TOTAL	103,566,895	100.0	75,744	244,468	330,207	48,6	1,296,143	2,579,902	5,869,096	12,06	
EASTERN GROUP													
CONNECTICUT	1947	Federal	1,907,000	100.0	—	—	—	—	15,891	17,472	51,293	7,08	
		State & Private	1,907,000	100.0	—	—	—	—	15,891	17,472	51,293	7,08	
		TOTAL	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
DELAWARE	1947	Federal	44,000	100.0	—	—	—	—	7,516	80	7,596	10,17	
		State & Private	44,000	100.0	—	—	—	—	7,516	80	7,596	10,17	
		TOTAL	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
KENTUCKY	1947	Federal	549,128	100.0	1,268	673	1,941	25,4	1,096	989	2,085	1,07	
		State & Private	332,608	100.0	38,448	205	28,647	35,2	45,529	56,091	48,176	1,61	
		TOTAL	881,736	100.0	29,710	878	30,598	54,1	45,655	1,552	48,176	1,61	
MAINE	1947	Federal	94,450	100.0	11,818	184	12,002	1,500	445,195	297,490	745,075	61,91	
		State & Private	16,688,000	100.0	161,906	28,976	298,982	299,8	7,199,636	4,615,364	11,615,000	56,778	
		TOTAL	16,777,450	100.0	193,324	28,760	230,984	313,5	7,645,221	4,912,884	12,556,075	57,06	
MARYLAND	1947	Federal	1,134	100.0	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
		State & Private	2,685,000	100.0	5,057	640	5,677	7,9	17,772	9,000	26,772	7,28	
		TOTAL	2,686,134	100.0	3,037	640	5,677	7,9	17,772	9,000	26,772	7,28	
MASSACHUSETTS	1947	Federal	3,545	100.0	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
		State & Private	3,288,000	100.0	20,534	5,968	24,305	11,6	408,612	11,815	420,437	17,50	
		TOTAL	3,289,151	100.0	20,534	5,969	24,305	11,6	408,612	11,815	420,437	17,50	
NEW HAMPSHIRE	1947	Federal	668,484	100.0	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
		State & Private	4,145,394	100.0	13,285	4,777	18,062	27,5	108,282	39,335	498,577	27,05	
		TOTAL	4,811,878	100.0	13,316	4,777	18,062	27,4	108,282	39,334	498,645	27,05	
NEW JERSEY	1947	Federal	644	100.0	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
		State & Private	2,294,000	100.0	100.0	—	1,062	14,02	179,537	27,323	206,860	14,77	
		TOTAL	2,294,644	100.0	100.0	—	1,062	14,02	179,537	27,323	206,860	14,77	
NEW YORK	1947	Federal	6,707	100.0	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
		State & Private	13,423,000	100.0	25,178	6,505	31,685	16,6	150,440	1,280	151,700	4,16	
		TOTAL	13,429,707	100.0	25,178	6,505	31,685	16,6	150,440	1,280	151,700	4,16	
PENNSYLVANIA	1947	Federal	491,380	100.0	55	—	7	7	—	—	—	—	—
		State & Private	14,644,000	100.0	44,185	5,932	49,115	32,1	166,696	5,939	170,686	3,55	
		TOTAL	15,135,380	100.0	44,285	5,934	49,115	32,0	167,127	5,939	171,126	3,55	
RHODE ISLAND	1947	Federal	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
		State & Private	452,000	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
		TOTAL	452,000	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
VERMONT	1947	Federal	206,011	100.0	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
		State & Private	3,697,882	100.0	1,487	447	1,938	8,2	9,356	2,895	12,251	6,35	
		TOTAL	3,665,873	100.0	1,487	447	1,938	8,2	9,356	2,895	12,251	6,35	

GROUP AND STATE	PERIOD AND OWNERSHIP	PROTECTED AREA BURNED						DAMAGE ON PROTECTED AREA							
		TOTAL FOREST AREA NEEDING PROTECTION			FOREST AREA PROTECTED			Protected Area Burned			Damage on Protected Area				
		Acres	Percent	Acres	Acres	Percent	Acres	Average Area per Fire	Number of Fires	Non-Firewood Resources	Total	Average per Acre	Dollars		
EASTERN GROUP (Continued)															
VIRGINIA	1947 Federal	1,685,545	100.0	957	—	—	29.9	962	5,294	4,056	4,24				
	State & Private	15,036,000	100.0	20,977	5,466	24,143	14.5	90,222	49,524	159,485	55,70				
	TOTAL	16,685,545	100.0	21,834	5,466	25,100	16.8	90,954	52,017	165,411	55,72				
WEST VIRGINIA	1947 Federal	910,913	100.0	909	—	—	82.6	2,665	1,105	2,984	58				
	State & Private	9,050,000	100.0	57,568	5,057	61,135	42.5	299,393	1,105	300,451	4,91				
	TOTAL	9,960,913	100.0	58,477	5,057	62,044	42.8	302,191	1,224	305,415	4,99				
GROUP TOTAL	1947 Federal	4,591,545	100.0	11,038	859	17,897	108.1	480,774	261,923	782,707	47,35				
	State & Private	96,365,256	69,023,864	91,8	87,019	471,754	34.2	6,694,552	5,130,929	15,825,481	30,51				
	TOTAL	101,850,801	93,615,409	92,42	87,876	487,651	35.0	9,145,356	5,452,682	14,476,188	29,89				
SOUTHERN GROUP															
ALABAMA	1947 Federal	723,750	100.0	4,535	56	4,592	22.0	2,125	1,409	3,552	77				
	State & Private	18,044,929	65.0	320,049	4,535	328,554	44.6	414,379	5,503	419,882	1,42				
	TOTAL	18,816,668	65.5	324,855	4,591	329,176	44.0	416,502	6,912	423,414	1,48				
ARKANSAS	1947 Federal	2,497,753	100.0	6,503	149	6,702	27.4	5,241	1,480	6,691	1,00				
	State & Private	18,348,195	11,328,814	61.7	180,811	205	131,074	24.4	309,933	5,311	315,964	2,41			
	TOTAL	20,845,986	13,828,547	66.3	187,564	41.2	137,776	26.5	315,194	6,761	321,956	2,34			
FLORIDA	1947 Federal	1,317,179	100.0	2,674	371	3,245	26.6	1,250	1,07	1,357	42				
	State & Private	21,553,117	6,872,785	31.9	117,955	85	118,038	39.7	148,835	16,835	164,290	1,44			
	TOTAL	22,870,326	8,189,964	35.8	120,832	454	121,385	39.1	150,085	16,582	156,647	1,37			
GEORGIA	1947 Federal	1,026,090	100.0	6,981	1,190	8,071	107.6	6,302	20,377	20,377	5,23				
	State & Private	21,705,028	11,328,334	67.0	87,630	6,088	98,708	37.7	165,921	11,386	177,916	1,69			
	TOTAL	22,731,114	8,398,414	36.9	94,501	7,276	101,779	39.8	180,016	17,937	187,075	1,94			
LOUISIANA	1947 Federal	570,648	100.0	6,562	437	6,999	31.1	3,259	1,143	4,879	64				
	State & Private	14,056,000	7,147,800	50.9	195,844	10	196,554	38.5	229,949	—	229,949	1,25			
	TOTAL	14,625,648	7,718,448	52.8	202,105	447	202,585	38.0	245,297	1,141	244,428	1,21			
MISSISSIPPI	1947 Federal	1,166,554	100.0	25,629	9,405	35,054	35.2	18,045	11,288	39,555	89				
	State & Private	16,449,000	1,145,154	49.8	176,420	30,430	36,786	21.2	39,1	429,939	39,084	467,785	2,20		
	TOTAL	17,615,554	1,262,037	49.8	180,409	45,210	346,259	36.5	446,944	50,752	497,116	2,05			
NORTH CAROLINA	1947 Federal	1,454,497	100.0	2,505	76	2,379	35.5	5,938	6,67	5,705	2,42				
	State & Private	16,977,437	1,593,626	60.7	149,298	20,088	169,396	62.8	228,447	19,493	227,940	1,52			
	TOTAL	18,431,934	16,148,125	62.2	151,603	30,172	171,775	62.1	245,545	30,150	245,696	1,54			
OKLAHOMA	1947 Federal	397,987	100.0	2,234	235	2,517	49.4	3,261	1,405	4,609	1,85				
	State & Private	9,799,127	3,979,813	35.8	37,454	7	37,441	57.5	104,405	11,413	118,016	3,10			
	TOTAL	10,197,164	1,934,800	18.9	39,638	30.0	39,958	56.9	105,964	14,741	120,626	5,02			
SOUTH CAROLINA	1947 Federal	627,974	100.0	7,689	117	8,016	60.3	6,311	3,014	10,125	1,26				
	State & Private	10,776,000	10,776,000	100.0	205,809	57	205,886	36.8	619,797	610,610	619,856	5,04			
	TOTAL	11,403,974	11,403,974	100.0	213,708	174	213,882	37.4	625,048	4,633	629,681	2,94			
TENNESSEE	1947 Federal	1,013,306	100.0	2,237	675	2,912	15.9	4,095	2,754	6,849	2,35				
	State & Private	11,933,712	6,139,936	42.9	80,435	163	80,568	37.5	156,646	9,472	148,120	1,61			
	TOTAL	12,007,018	6,155,252	47.3	82,632	778	83,474	35.4	140,745	12,228	152,959	1,63			
TEXAS	1947 Federal	827,599	100.0	2,118	901	5,010	10.5	4,116	1,239	1,685	55				
	State & Private	16,000,876	6,882,047	63.0	245,039	5,622	251,031	67.6	1,380,465	26,700	1,407,185	6,69			
	TOTAL	16,868,475	9,669,646	65.0	245,147	5,523	254,670	68.5	1,380,881	37,959	1,423,830	5,82			
GROUP TOTAL	1947 Federal	11,663,297	11,663,297	100.0	69,618	11,686	81,506	31.8	61,555	23,409	94,762	1,16			
	State & Private	17,572,494	91,867,678	53.9	1,747,438	72,651	1,820,075	41.9	4,186,656	145,945	4,332,481	2,36			
	TOTAL	185,415,791	103,530,976	55.8	1,817,392	84,539	1,901,531	41.5	4,247,365	179,854	4,427,365	2,32			

NORTH CENTRAL GROUP											
ILLINOIS	1947 Federal	257,952	100.0	778	409	987	36.5	1,073	404	2,077	2.10
	State & Private	4,065,000	3,639,361	94.0	1,598	1,881	34.9	5,702	6,449	10,151	2.96
	TOTAL	4,072,952	4,072,952	94.3	2,116	2,500	4,116	6,375	6,883	12,285	2.77
INDIANA	1947 Federal	94,822	100.0	19	11	30	7.5	36	86	91	3.03
	State & Private	3,862,000	3,862,000	100.0	5,987	7,524	18,311	23,066	49,899	72,985	5.48
	TOTAL	3,956,822	3,956,822	100.0	6,006	7,335	18,341	23,121	49,935	75,076	5.48
IOWA	1947 Federal	4,749	100.0	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
	State & Private	2,285,000	2,285,000	100.0	372	302	674	14.4	448	1,210	2.11
	TOTAL	2,285,749	2,285,749	100.0	372	302	674	14.4	448	1,210	2.11
MICHIGAN	1947 Federal	2,543,925	100.0	563	105	748	12.5	735	89	854	1.10
	State & Private	17,809,000	17,809,000	100.0	22,723	3,429	26,152	15.0	111,061	50,402	6.17
	TOTAL	20,352,925	20,352,925	100.0	23,366	3,614	26,900	14.9	111,776	50,491	6.05
MINNESOTA	1947 Federal	3,431,511	100.0	269	1,765	2,032	31.8	1,466	1,905	3,571	1.66
	State & Private	19,665,000	19,665,000	100.0	38,955	21,659	60,034	62.2	97,059	70,140	167,199
	TOTAL	23,096,511	23,096,511	100.0	39,224	23,422	62,646	60.4	98,035	72,045	170,570
MISSOURI	1947 Federal	1,354,980	100.0	4,155	53	4,998	12.5	12,940	4,674	17,614	5.05
	State & Private	15,564,000	15,564,000	100.0	52,6	42,965	49,377	22.6	129,952	39,401	129,953
	TOTAL	16,988,980	16,988,980	100.0	57.6	47,588	51,647	21.9	142,075	16,075	142,075
NORTH DAKOTA	1947 Federal	45,637	100.0	655	55	700	116.7	3,010	106	5,116	4.45
	State & Private	45,637	45,637	100.0	655	55	700	116.7	3,010	106	5,116
	TOTAL	45,637	45,637	100.0	655	55	700	116.7	3,010	106	5,116
OMAHA	1947 Federal	87,215	100.0	129	24	165	10.9	236	31.6	442	2.89
	State & Private	5,438,000	5,438,000	100.0	5,040	10,819	15,895	21.3	17,644	36,984	44,598
	TOTAL	5,521,215	5,521,215	100.0	5,169	10,842	16,031	21.1	17,640	37,300	44,540
WISCONSIN	1947 Federal	1,682,915	100.0	1,116	72	1,191	1.19	4,995	92	4,685	3.05
	State & Private	16,115,000	16,115,000	100.0	14,189	2,152	16,861	11.2	54,934	70,156	4,62
	TOTAL	17,797,915	17,797,915	100.0	15,246	2,204	17,972	11.5	59,927	70,941	4.97
GROUP TOTAL	1947 Federal	9,661,804	100.0	7,907	2,552	10,459	20.2	24,078	7,542	58,220	5.09
	State & Private	94,183,200	94,183,200	100.0	87,43	121,707	53,089	28.0	437,950	220,145	671,875
	TOTAL	94,183,204	94,183,204	100.0	88.6	120,621	53,622	28.7	46,608	240,487	704,095

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